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In re Application of: Todd A. Kuiken
 Application No. 09/558,570
 Filed: April 26, 2000
 For: High Profile Multiaxial Prosthetic Foot

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 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Final Office Action in the subject application.

Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition For Extension Of Time

- Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$0.00 (enclosed).
- Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0181 for the appropriate petition fee.

No additional claim fee is required.

Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated June 10, 2003. Please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.